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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TESTIMONY OF FSO IN COURT PROCEEDINGS

1. UNDER VIENNA CONVENTION ON DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
IMMUNITY FROM BEING COMPELLED TO TESTIFY ON OFFICIAL ACTS
CONTINUES EVEN AFTER DIPLOMATIC STATUS TERMINATES. CONSEQUENTLY SOME OF REQUESTED INFORMATION COULD NOT BE
COMPELLED BY UK COURT.

2. NEVERTHELESS, REQUESTED INFORMATION SEEMS TO PRESENT
NO DISCLOSURE PROBLEMS, AND WE SEE NO OBJECTION TO WALLEN
REPLYING DIRECTLY AND VOLUNTARILY, SHOULD HE WISH TO DO SO.
ANY REPLY SHOULD MAKE CLEAR THAT NO WAIVER OF DIPLOMATIC
IMMUNITY SHOULD BE IMPLIED THEREBY. VANCE

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